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**Request
For
Continued Examination (RCE)
Transmittal**

Application Number	10/809,294
Filing Date	25 March 2004
First Named Inventor	STRASSGÜRTL, A.
Group Art Unit	3641
Examiner Name	Eldred, J
Attorney Docket Number	22853

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 filed 23 June 2006.
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply brief filed _____.
- iii. ☐ Other _____.
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other _____.

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
- b. ☐ Other _____.

3. Fees


- a. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to deposit account 18-2025.
- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e).
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee under 37 CFR 1.136 or 1.17
- iii. ☐ Other _____.
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____.
- c. ☒ Payment by credit card (PTO-2038 attached).

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name	Andrew Wilford	Reg. No.	26,597
Signature		Date	19 July 2006

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the the United States Postal service with sufficient postage as express mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box RCE, Washington, D.C. 20231 on: 19 July 2006.

Name	Arlene Bernstein			EV790895499
Signature			Date	19 July 2006

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